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Singh et al.

Serial No.: 10/072,220

Filing Date: February 8, 2002

For: **AUTOMATIC FLIGHT MANAGEMENT  
IN AN ONLINE MARKETPLACE**

Examiner: To Be Assigned

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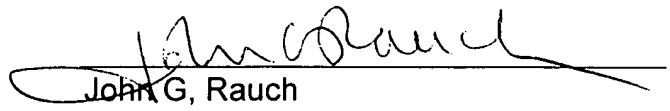
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